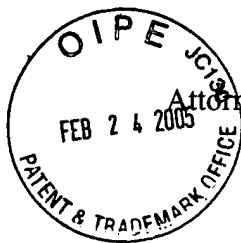


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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 18, 2004, Applicant submits the following Amendment and Remarks. Abstract Amendments begin on page 2 of this paper. Claim Amendments begin on page 3 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner reconsider the application

It is not believed that extensions of time are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). Any fees required therefore are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. Please credit any overpayment to the same deposit account.

Kindly enter the following Amendments and consider the following Remarks.